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## BUSINESS NOTICES

### NEW MUSIC.

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Sweet Lady  
Say it with music  
When the Sun goes down  
It must be someone  
Strut Miss Lizzie  
Song of India  
Dangerous Blues  
Jealous of you  
Humpty Dumpty  
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I wonder if you still care for me  
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## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

### PRINCE'S MADRAS VISIT.

ONLY SLIGHT DISTURBANCES.

LONDON, January 15.  
A belated account from Madras of the Prince of Wales' arrival minimises the disturbances (mentioned in our earlier cable). It says that the Prince was welcomed by large crowds and that the streets were lined with natives in spite of the martial. There were only slight disturbances in one quarter of the city.

### CHINA'S OPEN DOOR

WHAT SHE EXPECTS.

LONDON, January 15.  
Speaking at a tea at the Chinese Legation to welcome General Hwang-fu, military adviser of the Chinese delegation at the Washington Conference, Dr. Wang Chung Yen, an expert to the delegation, and Mr. Wo Chu A, the new Chinese Consul-General, Mr. Chao Hsin Chin, the Chinese Charge d' Affaires, emphasised that China needed the sincere help and genuine goodwill of friendly nations, particularly Britain, but China would never submit to intervention for exploitation. The Chinese were convinced of the necessity of the policy of the open door and the Chinese expected their neighbours and allies to help them keep the door permanently open. He read a message from the Chinese Foreign Minister to London stating that the Chinese Cabinet fully supported the original Chinese proposals at Washington with regard to Shantung and did not assent to any compromise proposed by the Japanese Minister to Peking.

### MOLIERE TRECENTENARY FEES.

IMPRESSIVE SORBONNE CEREMONY

PARIS, January 15.  
The trecentenary fetes in honour of Moliere were opened with impressive ceremony at the Sorbonne, M. Millerand presiding. The great hall was thronged with literary and dramatic distinguished men. Foreign delegates were present from every part of the world, including China. Special production of Moliere's plays is taking place in many theatres and a Moliere exhibition has been opened.

### NEW TROOPS HERE.

THE KING'S LIVERPOOL  
REGIMENT ARRIVES.

NEW GENERAL OFFICER COMMANDING.

Hongkong's new garrison unit arrived yesterday by the s.s. "Himalaya" and disembarked at the Naval Yard early in the afternoon. Besides the relieving troops, who belong to the 2nd Battalion King's Liverpool Regiment, Major General Sir John Fowler K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., successor to Lieut. General Kirkpatrick as G.O.C. the troops in China was on board with Lady Fowler and the Mrs. Fowler.

The retiring G.O.C. went down with Colonel Nicholson and other staff officers to meet the troops on their arrival alongside the Naval Yard at about 9 a.m., and advance parties came off shortly afterwards. At 2 p.m. the rest of the battalion marched up to Murray Barracks and began, so to speak, to "dig in" in the quarters so long occupied by the Wiltshiremen. The latter vacated them some time ago to go into tents on the parade ground.

Major General Fowler, who formerly commanded the troops in the Straits Settlements, has had a distinguished military career, chiefly in the Indian Army. He served in several Indian campaigns as well as in the South African war and during the Great War he commanded a brigade of the Indian Expeditionary Force.

The 2nd Battalion, King's Liverpool Regiment saw service in India, on the North West frontier during the war and was engaged in a frontier expedition at Bushire. They went from there to Quetta and after taking part in the Afghan Expedition in 1919 they were transferred to Cairo, and subsequently to Khartoum. In December 1920 they returned to Egypt and Cairo was their last station before they were ordered to proceed to Hongkong.

Most of the new troops are Lancashire lads and fairly young soldiers. Several of the officers, however, were seconded from their Battalion for service in France during the war. The strength of the unit is 800 of all ranks. Lieut. Colonel

Hyslop, C. B. E., is in command and Major H. L. Wright is second in command. The other officers are:—Capt. G. E. M. Skinner, Captain and Adjutant W. A. Hannay, A.F.C., Capt. F. G. Harden, Capt. W. J. H. Howard, D.S.O., Capt. B. C. Cross, Capt. N. E. B. Kynaston, M.C., Capt. W. B. Moorhead, Capt. J. Collins, Lieut. R. H. Jones, D.S.O., M. C., Lieut. H. Porter, Lieut. C. P. Moore, M.C., Lieut. H. A. Redding, M.C., Lieut. S. C. Ager, M.C., Lieut. R. M. Hewitt, Lieut. J. W. Thompson, Lieut. W. J. Humphreys, M.C., Lieut. E. L. Loader, Lieut. D. J. Jones, Lieut. A. Clarke, 2nd Lieut. F. White. In addition to Mrs. Hyslop the ladies accompanying the garrison are:—Mrs. Harden, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Kynaston, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Clarke, and Mrs. D. J. Jones.

The newcomers are keen footballers and were runners-up in the League Competition at Cairo. One Company, under Capt. Skinner, will leave shortly for Peking to take up duty as Legation Guards.

In view of the fact that the Chinese New Year is approaching, the Commissioner of Water Police at Canton has chartered two steamers in addition to the four previously chartered for the purpose of patrolling the rivers.

The death took place in the Shanghai General Hospital on Tuesday, of the Rev. Alfred B. Street, formerly with the American Presbyterian Mission, Hsichow, Hainan, at the age of 62 years. In recent years, the Rev. Mr. Street worked as an independent missionary on the island of Hainan. He spent 30 years in China and besides his other work paid special attention to the dialects of the island with a view to printing literature that could be read by all the natives there. His work included, or rather is a part of, his work on the low phonetic script by which he was preparing a writing which could be used all over China. Mr. Street was in Shanghai attending to some printing at the time of his death. He is survived by a wife and three children. He is living in

### THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/7 3/8.

To-day's opening rate 2/7 1/8.

### BELGIUM'S CANNES GAINS.

DEFENSIVE PACT SIGNED.

BRUSSELS, January 15.  
Interviewed on his return from Cannes, M. Theunis declared that the conference had been in nowise vain as far as Belgium was concerned. A protocol for a defensive Franco-Belgian understanding had been signed and was being submitted to the British and Belgian Cabinets immediately. Belgium's right of priority in the reparations payment had been reaffirmed.

### DEMPSEY AND CARPENTIER.

LONDON MATCH POSSIBLE.

LOS ANGELES, January 15.  
Dempsey's Manager, Mr. Kearns, says that Dempsey is willing to meet Carpentier in London if the promoter of the match provides suitable financial guarantees.

### JOBBING GOLD MINE STRIKE.

UNDERGROUND OFFICIALS' DECISION.

JOHANNESBURG, January 15.  
In spite of the efforts of the extremists, the underground officials of the union have unanimously decided in favour of maintaining essential services in the mines.

### NORTHCOTTE VICEROY'S GUEST.

DELHI, January 15.

Lord Northcliffe has arrived here. He is the guest of the Viceroy.

### NEW FRENCH CABINET.

FAVOURABLE PRESS RECEPTION.

PARIS, January 15.  
M. Sarraut has been made Minister of Colonies. The new cabinet has been favourably received by the Press.

### OUR FINANCES.

\$100,000 VOTE ON ACCOUNT  
PRINCE'S VISIT.

\$10,000 FOR VACCINATION.

The following financial minutes, recommended by H. E. the Governor were considered at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council:—\$16,000 on account of Kowloon Canton Railway special expenditure, motor coaches and trailer. \$100,000 on account of miscellaneous services, visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. \$10,000 on account of Sanitary Department, other charges, expenses of vaccination.

### SUMMARY OF AUCTIONS.

FORTHCOMING SALES.

January 17.—Lammert Bros. tweed and cashmere suit lengths. Sales rooms 11.30 a.m.

January 17.—Hughes and Hough, teakwood and black-wood furniture. Sales rooms, 2.30 p.m.

January 18.—Lammert Bros., ship's engine, machinery, parts and sundries, No. 400 Canton Road, Mongkokkai.

January 19.—Lammert Bros., three properties—two in Wyndham Street, another in Portland Street, and the third in Shanghai Street—without reserve.

January 19.—Hughes and Hough, Jewellery. Sales rooms, 2.30 p.m.

January 19.—Lammert Bros., oil engine and dynamo, G. Osawa and Co.'s godown, West Point, 11 a.m.

January 20.—Hughes and Hough, household furniture, No. 6 Humphreys Buildings, Kowloon, 10.30 a.m.

February 8.—Lammert Bros., leasehold property at Tuk Tau Hoing (Kowloon), Sales rooms, 3 p.m.

The master of the Yuen Long Jeweller's shop reports that one of his Japs abandoned on Saturday night with a quantity of jewellery which he had entrusted to him to be remodelled. The property is worth \$100.

## BUSINESS NOTICES

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## PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (for account of the concerned),

### TUESDAY,

January 17, 1922, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 5, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Lee House Street.

**TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, BRASS AND TEAKWOOD TWIN BEDSTEADS, CARPETS,**

Comprising:—

Dining Suites, Chesterfield Sofas, Arm-chairs (new), Card and Occasional Tables, Teakwood Twin Bedsteads, large and small Wardrobes, Dressing Tables and Chairs, Washstands, &c., (mixed Teakwood), Sideboards, Dinner Waggon, Dinner Services, Crockery, & Glass Ware, Cooking Stoves, Cutlery, &c., Electric plated Ware, Electric Reading Lamps, Screens, Sundry Blackwood Furniture, Chairs, Cabinets, Pictures, Books, (Full Particulars from Catalogue).

Terms: Cash on delivery.

HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.

Hongkong, November 11, 1922.

(For Account of the Concerned.)

### THURSDAY,

January 19, 1922, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Lee House Street.

#### Valuable Jewellery

Comprising:—

Single Stone Diamond Rings, Earrings, Brooches, Diamond Cluster Rings, Bracelets, Gold and Silver Ornaments, Pearls, &c., &c.

Terms: Cash on delivery.

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Hongkong, January 7, 1922.

(For Account of the Concerned.)

### THURSDAY,

January 20, 1922, at 10.30 a.m., at No. 6, Humphreys Buildings, Kowloon.

#### Valuable Household Furniture,

&c., &c.

Comprising:—

Bedroom and Dining Room Suites, Blackwood Cabinets, Chairs and Side Tables, &c., &c.

Also

Several Japanese Water Colours in Blackwood Frames.

On view afternoon before date of Sale.

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Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

THURSDAY, January 10, 1922,  
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## INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

CHINESE LANGUAGE SCHOOL.

A NEW CLASS for "BEGINNERS" will commence on MONDAY, 16th January, 1922, if sufficient support be forthcoming.

Applicants for enrolment and enquiries regarding hours of School, Fees, etc., should be made to the undersigned as early as possible.

By Order,

D. K. ELAIR,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 2, 1922.

### PUBLIC LECTURE AT THE CITY HALL.

MR. FRED B. SMITH, who is on an extended lecturing tour in the interests of World Peace, will give an address (under the auspices of the League of Fellowship and Service) on "International Friendship," at the St. Andrew's Hall, City Hall, on TUESDAY, 17th January, at 5 p.m. punctually.

THE MEETING IS OPEN TO ALL.

Ladies are invited.

The Hon. Mr. H. E. POLLOCK, K.C., will take the Chair.

Hongkong, January 13, 1922.

### KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY.

(British Station).

### THE PUBLIC IS HEREBY NOTIFIED

that, until further notice, the Express Trains leaving Kowloon at 8.05 a.m. and 3.00 p.m. will not call at Taipo or Sheung Shui.

By Order,

H. P. WINKLOW,  
Manager.

Kowloon, January 13, 1922.

### QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor has kindly consented to distribute Prizes on SATURDAY, January 21st, at 11 A.M. No Cards are being issued but to all Parents and Guardians of Students, to Old Boys and others interested in the work of the School, a cordial invitation to honour us by their attendance on that date is extended.

By Order,

BERTRAM TANNER,  
Headmaster.

Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

### HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Annual Race Meeting 1922.

### ENTRIES for the forthcoming Races

CLOSE on SATURDAY, 21st inst. at noon and must be sent to the Jockey Club Rooms, 31 Chater Road, on or before this date.

Entry Forms are now ready and can be had at the Jockey Club Stables, the Jockey Club Rooms (Hongkong Club Annex, Chater Road) or Messrs. Linstead & Davis, Alexandra Buildings.

Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

### THE GENERAL EXCHANGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the STATUTORY MEETING of the above Company will be held at No. 10, Des Voeux Road Central, (2nd floor), Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on the 20th day of January, 1922, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

By Order,

(Signed) LI YUNG CHAI,  
Chief Manager.

Dated the Ninth Day of January, 1922.

No. 10 Des Voeux Road Central,  
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### PUBLIC AUCTION.

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Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

## INTIMATIONS.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on THURSDAY, 26th January, 1922, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1921.

The REGISTER of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, 17th January to THURSDAY, 26th January, both days inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

### THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EIGHTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on THURSDAY, 26th January, 1922, at 11.45 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1921.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,

MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

### THE HONGKONG LAND RECLAMATION CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on THURSDAY, 26th January, 1922, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1921.

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By Order of the Board of Directors,

MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

### THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

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MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 10, 1922.

### THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company Union Building, on TUESDAY, February 7th, 1922, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from January 24th to February 7th, 1922, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

JOHN ARNOLD,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 13, 1922.

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## BIRTHS.

WESTBROOK. On January 12, 1922, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Westbrook, a daughter.  
THOMPSON. On January 9, 1922, at Peking to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Thompson, a daughter.  
TOONE. On January 10, 1922, at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey A. G. Toone, a daughter.

## MARRIAGE.

HARTFORD-ROSS. On January 14th, at Hongkong, Commander G. B. Hartford, D.S.O., R.N., to Mrs. Charles H. Ross.

## DEATH.

STREET. On January 10, 1922, at Shanghai, the Rev. Alfred E. Street, formerly of the American Presbyterian Mission, Hoihow, Hainan.

## The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"  
HONGKONG, MONDAY, JAN. 16, 1922

## STRIKING THOUGHTS.

All thoughts about the strike are not of necessity striking thoughts. But we are doing our best.

There will be men apt to regard any thoughts by Bernard Shaw on strikes as authoritative, because he had associated himself with the school of thought which favours strikes. In the *Labour Monthly* Mr. Shaw has lately denounced strikes. He says:

"There is ghastly comedy in the fact that this right to idle while

keeps the proletarians enslaved is cherished by them, not only as a privilege, but actually as a weapon. They call it the right to strike, and do not perceive that it is only a form of the right to commit suicide or to starve in their enemy's doorstep."

It is sometimes a little fatiguing to try to keep pace with this writer's thoughts, especially when it is discovered that he is deliberately using the language of paradox to conceal his thought until it can burst out like a Jack-in-the-box. He has, it appears, some thought that every man, capitalist or labourer, owes a personal amount of labour as a debt to the community, and that a striker is evading that debt.

It will not be helpful to consider the strike of Chinese seamen (which is just now injuring the Hongkong public) in that frame of mind. Mr. Shaw reminds us of some too ardent Borrovia who, when our dwelling house catches fire, and we are thinking fondly of the Fire Brigade, laboriously—and with a certain cleverness of logic—tries to convince us that houses are unwholesome.

The *China Mail* dislikes strikes as it dislikes war, but conceives that the arguments which assert the necessity of some war apply also to strikes.

It looks as if they have yet to learn that there is such a thing as the lawful and recognized right of the men to "bargain collectively," and that the individuals they are pleased to dub "agitators" may be the lawful and accredited representatives of the collective bargainers, to whom a reasonable attitude of formal respect is due.

Until they learn and become reconciled to these facts, they must share with the strikers the blame and responsibility for the measure of annoyance which these events impose upon the public.

But now comes a thought, which is in their favour. The general public opinion is that for two months they countenanced and disregarded the threatening strikers. This is the verdict of opinion of the strikers also. But there is no evidence of it.

The *China Mail* agrees with Mr. Havelock Ellis that nothing in our complex social arrangements is so necessary as time for reflection. Whatever tends to lessen undue speed of nervous reaction, whatever tends to increase the difficulty of translating nervous reaction into practical action, so that reflection may achieve its perfect work, will make for the good of the world.

Impatient men accuse our Government of being slow, yet its mistakes may always be traced to haste. Consider the difference between "panic legislation" and deliberate legislation. Emergencies are not always as emergent as they are represented. Diligence due to Red Tape may be had any day to reflection must be to the good.

Hitherto the Chinese have set us Europeans a good example in this matter. We have been the impatient people, they the reflective. This strike (supposing that our shipping lords were indeed reflecting upon the demands of the Guild) has reversed those positions.

What is two months in a cycle of Cathay? They might have waited one more month.

Of a sudden it occurs to the writer that he is behaving like a finger-post, which points out a road it never travels along. Here is a strike on, and here is a newspaper writer, he is rushing into print with comments on it, instead of taking two or three months for that exercise of reflection which is so desirable.

Our next article on the strike should not appear before April 1st.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

H.E. the Governor distributes the Ying Wa College prizes on Saturday, January 21.

One fatal case of enteric fever, Chinese, was reported on Friday, and a non-fatal case of paratyphoid fever, Portuguese, and another of plague Chinese.

Care of graves in the Colonial Cemetery and eating house licences are among the items on this afternoon's Sanitary Board meeting agenda.

Lieutenant Raymond Cursham, formerly on H.M.S. "Widgeon," arrived from Shanghai on R.M.S. "Empress of Japan" for hospital treatment in Hongkong.

An advertisement in this issue reminds British subjects in China that they are required to register themselves at the Consulate-General in January of each year.

It is understood that Mr. M. J. Patel of Patel and Co. has purchased from Mr. A. M. L. Soares a piece of ground, about 50,000 sq. feet in extent, known as Kowloon Inland Lot No. 616.

The marriage of Commander G. B. Hartford, D.S.O., R.N., and Mrs. C. H. Ross took place very quietly on Saturday, January 14th, at St. John's Cathedral. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Copley Moyle. No invitations were issued.

A Chinese member of the s.s. "Wanchetchee" was arrested on Saturday for the unlawful possession of one revolver and 200 rounds of ammunition. The contraband was said to have been concealed in a basket of eggs he claimed. At the police station he was allowed bail in the sum of \$300. When his name was called this morning he failed to appear, and his bail was forfeited.

Patrol Leader Kwok Chung, of the 7th. Hongkong (S.Y.P.) Troop, Saiyungpun School, has been awarded the Gift Cross by the Chief Scout for saving a boy from drowning last August. The cross and certificate are being sent to H.E. the Governor for presentation to the plucky scout at a suitable opportunity. An emblem will also be presented for wearing on the scout uniform, as this medal is only for special occasions. In their letter expressing best wishes and hearty congratulations, London Headquarters ask for a photograph for the Hall of Honour.

## SPECIAL CABLE.

### SHANGHAI COURT.

\$30,000 EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE.

[China Mail Special.]

SHANGHAI, Jan. 14

Cow Li Nan, vice president of the Far Eastern Stock and Produce Exchange, was prosecuted in the Mixed Court for alleged embezzlement of the Exchange's funds amounting to \$30,000. Bail of \$10,000 was allowed but was yesterday reduced to \$5,000.

### DEPORTED FOR THEFT.

Gregory Mikhailoff was convicted of the theft of money and jewellery amounting in value to \$1,000. He was sentenced to six months' deportation to Vladivostok.

### IN LIEU OF NOTICE.

Mrs. Nellie Ritchie, a stenographer, was awarded Ts. 605 in lieu of notice against Messrs. Montgomery and Ward in the American Court yesterday.

## "PIERROT LAND."

"QUINTS" OPENING NIGHT SUCCESS.

With the merry, vivacious "Quints" for guides a goodly house in the Theatre Royal on Saturday night made a fleeting visit to "Pierrotland," romantic realm of song and laughter with here and there a welcome shadow of sentiment affording happy contrast to the general jollity. Really, of course, it was only the generally bilious (and obstinately oracular) old gentleman cleverly impersonated by Mr. R. B. Salisbury who was swept along with the impetuous pierrots to their delightful dreamland. But then the capable performers so carried the audience with them (as the critics say) that it almost required the fall of the curtain to bring home to most people just how far they had been lured into this joyous realm of merriment and mirth. However, the fleeting minutes afforded by the different changes of scene found the lucky tourists in "Pierrotland" ever appreciative, and long were the bursts of applause and loud demands for encore that greeted every item almost without exception.

A programme comprising over a score of items each a small gem of description, the more especially when few turns passed without the whole company (or a goodly portion thereof) impetuously joining the particular revel of the moment. (Indeed, this same eagerness to share the fun led to comical, not to say startling, results in one instance when five rivals each attempted to deliver a recitation to cover some shifting operations.) However, among the eddies in the general stream of merriment simply gurgling aloud for notice was "a golf melody" in which the male members of the company sang of golfing deeds and misdeeds—in clever parody of well-known songs. Almost as delicious was the original burlesque giving three exceedingly comical versions of that popular but luckless song "A Perfect Day." Foremost among the "hits" of the evening, too, was the "Quints" uproariously funny journey to Epsom featuring a coster cart, the inevitable Ford, and a weird machine like—but it is not fair to disclose the choicest quips of a rattling good entertainment. Exceedingly clever and amusing also were the two short acts presenting the "eternal triangle" problem as (a) the upper classes and (b) the lower classes solve it, both of which gave excellent opportunity for mordant satire and character portrayal. Mention must be made of the two very effective little scenes presenting charming songs of Somerset in the twilight and Old London street cries, respectively.

As with the concerted numbers, so with individual contributions, "twere hard to do all adequate justice." "R. B. Salisbury" will sing, "Guy Fawkes programme in one place" and "Guy Fawkes Dorothy James" in another. What hope to describe the droll mimicry of these two comedians, born artists, both, and the joy of their infectious humour in these and other "turns"? Again, of the pleasure afforded by Miss Mavis French's sentimental ballads, Miss Jessie Hitter's skilful dancing, Mrs. Harold Farrar's manly songs, Miss Dorothy James's delightful piano ditties, Mr. Hugh Bayley's wail "Oz. Oz. Ozelum," nonsense, and other happy items, so much to say, so little space to say it. With this auspicious opening night, the week night well and "The Quints" cheerfully confident, Hongkong eagerly anticipates.

## LOCAL BOXING.

### SATURDAY'S INTERESTING TOURNAMENT.

WILKINS WINS HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Hongkong Boxing Association's second tournament of the season was held at Ming Yuen Gardens on Saturday night before a large gathering. The six contests on the programme were all between good men, and some skilful boxing was witnessed. The main event, the Heavyweight Champion ship contest, produced some excellent boxing, but terminated unexpectedly at the close of the eleventh round when Cover retired. Morgan gained his objective in his catchweight bout with Bowdidge, finishing him in the fourth round—a very creditable performance in view of the fact that he gave away 12lbs plus height and reach. Young Chadwick, a promising fighter, scored another decisive win in convincing style.

### THE BOUTS.

RUSSELL BEATS EARLEY.

This was a 6-round lightweight bout. A. B. Russell, H.M.S. "Hawkins" (143) weighed 8lbs more than A. B. Earley, H.M.S. "Ambro" (136). Earley took the fight to his opponent right from the opening gong and soon they were mixing it freely. The first round closed even, with neither causing much damage. The second round was a regular mill from start to finish, the men exchanging blow for blow in the centre of the ring. There was still very little between them at the gong.

Russell took the offensive in the third and delivered several punishing blows which forced Earley to clinch. Major Rapson warned Earley for hitting while holding. In the fourth Russell was all out and Earley received several telling blows on the wind. Earley surprised the audience by taking the fifth to Russell in the fifth, but the latter met his attacks in convincing style, the two dividing the honours pretty evenly. There was a fierce struggle in the last round. Although Earley was tired, he put all he knew into the fight and worried Russell for a bit, but the latter was a cool and patient and ran out winner.

### SKELTON BEATS PELLING.

A. B. Skelton, H.M.S. "Hawkins" (163) had the advantage of weight, reach and height over St. Pelling, H.M.S. "Titania" (158). Pelling did all the leading throughout the whole of the 6-round bout, but was greatly worried by Skelton's long arms which prevented him from getting at close quarters. Employing a peculiar and funny style, not unlike Chinese boxing, Skelton scored freely and effectively on Pelling's face. Skelton took every round by a big margin and won easily.

### CHADWICK BEATS LARTER.

A. B. Chadwick, H.M.S. "Marazion" (126) gave away 6lbs to Ord. Smn. Larter, H.M.S. "Hawkins" (131) in this featherweight contest which was a fierce fight from start to finish. Chadwick possessed more all round knowledge of the game and punished Larter severely with hefty body blows early in the fight. Larter also gave some punishing blows, but Chadwick returned two blows for one and was well ahead on points at the end of the second round. Larter went in for his man with determination, in the third, but he could not corner the elusive Chadwick who turned the tables on him near the end and handed out more punishment. In the fourth Larter continued to bore in but could not hurt Chadwick who fought like a tiger when in danger. Towards the close of this round he delivered a hefty left straight from the side of the head which sent Larter reeling from the centre of the ring to the ropes. The gong saved him. 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## BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE.

WINDING UP PETITION.  
A FURTHER ADJOURNMENT.  
REORGANISATION PLANS.

Adjourned in October for three months the winding up petition in respect of the Banque Industrielle de Chine was mentioned in the Supreme Court before the Puisne Judge (Mr. H. H. J. Gompertz) again to-day.

In making an application for a further adjournment Mr. P. C. Jenkin presented an affidavit by the local Manager, M. Montargis. The document set out that from telegrams and other information received by him M. Montargis was convinced "that the French Government has been authorised by the French Chamber of Deputies to financially assist the Banque Industrielle de Chine and all that remains to be done is that the Finance Committee shall forward its proposals for financing the said scheme of reorganisation for the final approval of the chamber of deputies. After such final approval it will be submitted to the shareholders and creditors for their approval. In my opinion the creditors of my Bank in Hongkong will be well advised to await the Government's proposals because as above stated the French Government are now authorised to assist the Banque Industrielle de Chine and it would therefore be better for the creditors in any event to await the publication of such details as they will in any event obtain a larger refund than if the Bank were forthwith wound up in Hongkong and a distribution of assets made."

Mr. Jenkin said that so far as was known no order had yet been made in London although the London petition came before the Courts to-day. Neither had any order been made in any other Court in any jurisdiction in which the Bank operated. Altogether the Bank had 26 branches which operated under British, American, Japanese, Belgian and Chinese law.

The Puisne Judge: Chinese law—it would be the French law wouldn't it?

Mr. Jenkin agreed that it probably would.

Proceeding, counsel said a communication had been received from the Official Receiver in London which took the same line as that set out in the affidavit of M. Montargis—that it would be to the benefit of the creditors to await the proposed reorganisation.

Mr. Jenkin then asked that the petition should be adjourned to Monday, July 3. That would not prejudice anybody, he said, because His Honour could again direct that any person interested might apply to the Court by summons for the restoration of the hearing of the petition. Should the French Court make an order before July 3 for the winding up of the Bank an application would be made to His Honour forthwith for a similar order here.

The Puisne Judge: I see that in the affidavit you have read to me the manager of the Bank refers to a certain cable he has received from Shanghai. You have not made that an exhibit. Personally, I do not wish to see it but in a case of this kind it is as well to have the utmost publicity and it would be as well to state that any person interested may peruse it.

Mr. Jenkin: Yes, a certified copy will be filed on the Court file and will become open to inspection by any one who desires to see it.

The Puisne Judge: I have had the advantage of seeing the cable received by the official Receiver in Hongkong and purporting to be from the official Receiver in London. On that, as I construe it, it is most emphatically in the interests of the creditors that nothing should be done at present.

Mr. Jenkin: I understand the official Receiver is willing that this cable from London should be open to the perusal of any person interested.

The hearing of the petition was then adjourned to July 3, at 10.15 a.m.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. O. Bond who celebrated their silver wedding on Saturday.

A Chinese woman has died at the Government Civil Hospital from opium poisoning said to have been self-administered.

Sergeants Fraser and Greig, of Mongkok Police Station, Kowloon, send two bundles of books for the troops leaving the Colony.

The evening dance at the Helena May Institute takes place on Tuesday, February 14, as announced in Saturday's paper, not to-night, as erroneously stated elsewhere.

## SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

DISPUTE STILL CONTINUES.  
FURTHER CONFERENCES.  
WHAT THE MEN WANT NOW.

Numerous conferences held during the week-end have failed to bring the strike of Chinese seamen appreciably nearer to a settlement. It becomes more and more evident as the dispute proceeds that the Union could not have settled upon any definite plan of campaign when the strike was called on and that the executive were not fully instructed as to the views held by the bulk of the members. They seem merely to be adapting their policy to meet contingencies as they arise.

The advice of the Union executive to accept the offer of Governmental arbitration and resume work to-day has definitely gone by the board. Only a few of the strikers came down from Canton this morning and many hundreds went from here to Canton. The position taken up by the men now is that they will not return to work until they have definite evidence that the employers will grant them some increase in the present rates.

Last night the Secretary for Chinese Affairs (the Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax) went down to the Union headquarters with the Hon. Mr. Lau Chu Pak and the Hon. Mr. Chou Shou Son. They endeavoured unsuccessfully to persuade the men to resume work to-day. The strikers held out for proof that the employers would make definite concessions and finally it was arranged that four representatives of the Union should talk things over with Mr. Hallifax at his office this morning.

In conversation with a *China Mail* reporter after this morning's conference one of the Union delegates said that Mr. Hallifax had wanted to know whether or not the men intended to resume and they had replied that the men would not resume until they knew definitely whether or not the employers were going to grant some increase.

To emphasise the men's position the Union official took out from his pocket a box of matches. "Here you are," he said, "supposing we are going to sell you this box of matches. We tell you that we want four cents for it. It is no good to us for you to say 'Alright, give me the matches and we will talk about the price afterwards.' We want to know before we give you the box that we are really going to get something for it."

"Then," suggested the reporter "if the employers said to you that they would give you so much percent increase but not all that you ask for you would be content to resume work and leave the rest to arbitration." He said that that was how the men felt about it.

The conference with Mr. Hallifax concluded at about 11.30 a.m. After arranging to meet the Union delegates again at 4 o'clock this afternoon, Mr. Hallifax went off to a meeting of the shipping companies that had been convened for 11 a.m.

It is rumoured that several other labour organisations are offering encouragement to the seamen and that the men who work on the steam launches and motor boats are becoming restive. Since mid day on Saturday some twenty four vessels have arrived in the harbour and more than half of them are affected by the dispute. The French mail boat "Porthos" arrived this morning but as she has a coloured crew of another nationality she will not be affected. The Admiral Line Steamer "Wanatchee" which has an American crew is definitely sailing at 6 p.m., but in regard to the "Taiyo Maru" although she has cleared to sail this afternoon it is doubtful whether she will be able to get away.

CANTON MEN'S STAND.  
Mr. Chak Hon Ki, a Guild official who returned from Canton by train to-day, reports that the 6,000 men there support their colleagues' attitude, declaring that they will not return to Hongkong until a guarantee is given that arbitrators will take up the matter and that reasonable increases will be granted. Another 700 strikers left for Canton this afternoon.

The Shanghai Interport golfers, Messrs. Barrett, Beath, Cumming, Ferrier, Peables and Roberts arrived on the "Empress of Japan" on Saturday. Captain Dewar who was expected to come down as captain of the team, did not make the trip. It has been arranged to entertain the Shanghai and Hongkong Interport players at a dinner on Wednesday night after the Interport match at Fanling. All members of the R.I.K.G.C., are invited, and those wishing to be present should send in their names to Mr. Ross before 4 p.m. to-morrow (Tuesday). A thoroughly enjoyable evening is promised. The Hon. Mr. A.G. Stephen will preside.

## LOCAL JAIL ESCAPE.

FUGITIVE ARRESTED JUST IN TIME.  
SIX MONTHS' SENTENCE.

David Tsay, alias Ohui Chin, the extradition prisoner who escaped from the detention cell at the Central Police Station on Christmas night, was re-arrested by Chief Chinese Detective Hau Hang at the Kong On Boarding House, Yau Lan Chik Street, Canton, on Friday night and brought back to Hongkong on Saturday. The detective arrived in Canton just in time to get his quarry, for it was ascertained that Tsay had just pawned a coat for \$1.70 and booked a passage on a trading junk for Swatow. When faced by the detective in his room, he was getting together his things to sail within the hour. He candidly admitted defeat of his plans and surrendered without any struggle.

When he was produced before Magistrate Wood this morning charged with having escaped from legal custody, he pleaded "guilty," and received six months' imprisonment with hard labour.

## INTERPORT GOLF.

PRACTICE MATCH TO-DAY.  
The Shanghai Interport golfers played a practice match against a local team at Fanling to-day. Singles played in the morning resulted as follows:—

	Shanghai.	Hongkong.
Ferrier v. Bagnall	0	14
Barrett v. Leslie Smith	0	0
Roberts v. Sheffield	4	1
Beath v. Owen	0	14
Cumming v. Kennedy	0	0
Peables v. Jotham	1	2
Total	14	31

Hongkong was leading at tiffin time by 24.  
Four-ball foursomes was played in the afternoon.

## GOVERNOR'S SHIELD.

PRISONS DEPARTMENT WIN FINAL.  
The final for the Governor's Shield was played yesterday afternoon between the Prisons Department and the Wilt. Franks and Valentine representing the former defeated Wyndham and Doddington representing the latter. H. E. The Governor presented the shield also souvenir cups, and congratulated the winners.

## TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE NANCY MOLLER STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED

(In Voluntary Liquidation)  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 181 of the Hongkong Companies Ordinance of 1911 that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. M. J. & Co., 7 Avenue Road, VII, Shanghai, on MONDAY, 6th February 1922, at 4 p.m. for the purpose provided for in the said Section.

A. MALURF, Liquidator.

Shanghai, January 10, 1922.

## NOTICE.

H.B.M. CONSULATE-GENERAL.  
BRITISH subjects, resident in China are hereby reminded that in terms of the China Order in Council of 1904 they are required to register themselves at H.B.M. Consulate-General in January of each year.  
J. W. JAMIESON, Consul-General.  
H.B.M. Consulate-General, CANTON.  
January 16, 1922.

## TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MARINE ENGINEERS' GUILD OF CHINA.  
Hongkong Branch.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING will be held at the GUILD OFFICE, Sailors' Home, West Point, on WEDNESDAY next, 18th January, 1922, at 8 p.m. in order to suit the Convenience of NORTHERN MEMBERS, who are hereby requested to assist us by their presence.

W. J. STOKES, Branch Secretary.  
Hongkong, January 16, 1922.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—Matched Bungalow situated at Castle Peak. Apply Box No 1347 c/o "China Mail."

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2000 sacks Flour "Dayton" Brand

600 sacks Flour "Banana" Brand

600 sacks Flour "White Rose" Brand

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Terms:—Cash on delivery

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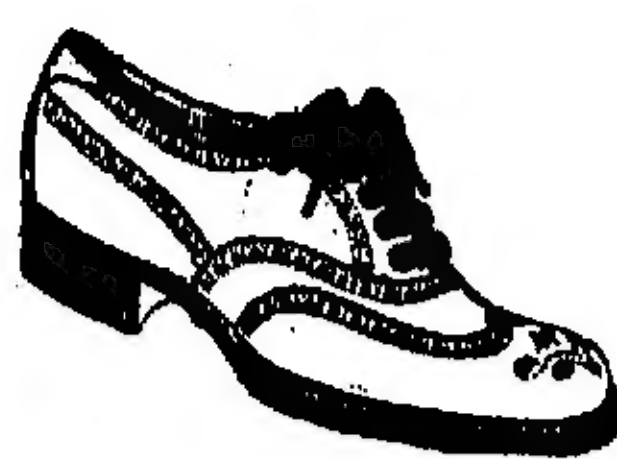
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TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

ALL preliminary notices of forthcoming meetings, lectures and entertainments, sent for insertion in the news columns of the *China Mail*, are charged for at the rate of \$1 each, (as announced in May and June of last year) providing that they do not occupy more than four lines. In future if this space is exceeded they will be placed in the advertising columns at the prevailing rates.

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Northcliffe

J. CLIFFORD-WILKINSON, Esq.

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NEW YORK: Via PANAMA. Wednesday, 18th January.

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SHANGHAI	SENG GUEN	Jan. 17, at Noon
MANILA, CEBU & LAOLO	TAMING	Jan. 17, at Noon
SIGON	KUICHOW	Jan. 17, at Noon
SWATOW AND SINGAPORE	KUICHOW	Jan. 18, at Noon
SHANGHAI AND TSINGTAO	SHANTUNG	Jan. 21, at 4 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI AND POKOW	TEAN	Jan. 22, at 10 a.m.
PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	KAIFONG	Jan. 23, at 10 a.m.

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S.S. "CITY OF MANCHESTER" .....17th Feb. Middle of March

S.S. "CITY OF TOKYO" .....24th Feb. London, Rotterdam &amp; Hamburg

## PASSENGER SERVICE.

S.S. "CITY OF MANCHESTER" .....17th Feb. Marseilles, London &amp; Hamburg

S.S. "CITY OF RIMBA" .....Middle of March

S.S. "CITY OF CALCUTTA" .....10th May

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## VESSELS DUE

## FROM AMOY.

Jan. 19.-J.C.J.L. Tjikembang.

## FROM SHANGHAI.

Jan. 17.-P. & O.	Egypt.
18.-P. & O.	Dhara.
19.-B. F.	City of Cambridge.
20.-B. F.	City of Durham.
Feb. 9.-B. F.	Koeman.
19.-B. F.	Sutton Hall.
22.-P. & O.	Dunera.
27.-B. F.	Amphor.
Mar. 1.-B. F.	Nishow.
9.-B. F.	Ajax.
13.-P. & O.	Sicilia.
14.-B. F.	Kabinga.
Apr. 10.-B. F.	Anchises.

## FROM JAPAN.

Jan. 17.-B. I.	Gregory Apar.
17.-N.Y.K.	Nikko Maru.
18.-B. F.	Purypilus.
20.-P. & O.	Kashmir.
22.-J.C.J.L.	Tjilwong.
23.-P. & O.	Arakan.
29.-P. & O.	West Coyote.
30.-B. F.	Cyclops.
30.-J.P.L.	Salsior.
31.-B. F.	Tecser.
31.-B. I.	Torilla.
Feb. 4.-P. & A.	St. Albans.
7.-B. I.	Japan.
12.-B. F.	Chobas.
13.-B. F.	Elpenor.
14.-P. & O.	Nagoya.
18.-B. I.	Janus.
20.-B. F.	Pyrrhus.
28.-P. & O.	Kashgar.
Mar. 4.-P. & A.	Eastern.
18.-P. & O.	Chiba.
18.-B. F.	Glancus.
20.-B. F.	Mentor.
28.-P. & O.	Devanha.
Apr. 11.-P. & O.	Novara.
24.-B. F.	Teiresias.
26.-P. & O.	Kalyan.
May 9.-P. & O.	Plasy.
28.-P. & O.	Jongola.

## FROM MANILA.

Jan. 27.-B. F.	Protesilaus.
Feb. 17.-B. F.	Ixon.
Mar. 10.-B. F.	Talhythius.
31.-B. F.	Tydeus.
Apr. 21.-B. F.	Protesilaus.
May 12.-B. F.	Ixon.

## FROM SINGAPORE.

Jan. 21.-B. I. Euryalus.

## FROM JAVA.

Jan. 17.-J.C.J.L.	Tjipana.
17.-J.C.J.L.	Haidia.
21.-J.C.J.L.	Tjibodaa.
29.-J.C.J.L.	Tjimanook.
29.-J.P.L.	Simaloa.
31.-J.C.J.L.	Tjikini.

## FROM CALCUTTA.

Jan. 27.-B. I. Janus.

## FROM BOMBAY.

Jan. 17.-N.Y.K.	Genoa Maru.
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"KASHMIR"	6,841	1st Feb.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'warp.
"NAGAYA"	6,841	15th Feb.	do.
"KASHGAR"	6,841	1st Mar.	do.
"SICILIA"	6,791	14th Mar.	Singapore, Colombo & Bombay.
"KHIVA"	6,917	16th Mar.	MARSEILLES, LONDON & A'warp.
"DEVANHA"	6,082	29th Mar.	do.
"NOVARA"	6,850	12th Apr.	do.
"KALYAN"	6,987	25th Apr.	do.
"PLASSY"	7,346	10th May	do.
"DONGOLA"	8,000	24th May	do.

## BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)

"GREGORY APCAR"	4,700	19th Jan.	Calcutta via Singapore, Penang, and Rangoon.
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"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	6th Feb.	Manila, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney & Melbourne.
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MISHIMA MARU ... Tuesday, 24th Jan. at 11 a.m.  
SADO MARU ... Friday, 3rd Feb. at 11 a.m.

HAMBURG via LONDON & ROTTERDAM.  
LIMA MARU ... Thursday, 19th Jan.  
MATSUMOTO MARU ... Tuesday, 7th February.

LIVERPOOL via MARSEILLES.  
MALACCA MARU ... Thursday, 8th February.

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AKI MARU ... Tuesday, 14th Feb. at 11 a.m.

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TAKETOYO MARU ... Middle of February.

NEW YORK via Suez.

RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS & BUENOS AIRES via Cape Kanagawa MARU ... End of March.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.  
WAKASA MARU ... Monday, 20th Jan.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.  
TATSUNO MARU ... Tuesday, 24th Jan.

NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.  
TANGA MARU ... Friday, 17th Feb. at 11 a.m.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.  
IKEDA MARU ... Wednesday, 18th Jan.  
MATEBASHI MARU (calling M'ly) ... Friday, 20th Jan. at 11 a.m.  
MATEBASHI MARU (calling M'ly) ... Wednesday, 1st Feb.

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January 13

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who restored a penny letter-rate.

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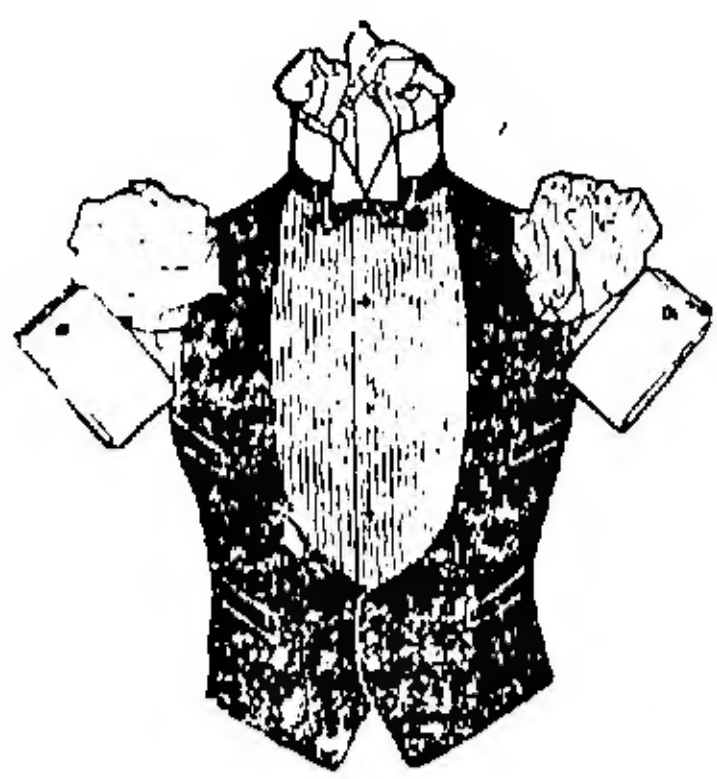
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## LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

## THIS AFTERNOON'S MEETING.

## NEW BILLS CONSIDERED.

## PUBLISHING VOLUNTEER INEFFICIENCY.

New bills to amend the Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance, the Volunteer Ordinance, certain provisions of peace treaty orders, and the Maintenance Order (facilities for enforcement) Ordinance were considered at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council, the first held this year. The second reading of the bill to restrict the taking of legal proceedings in respect of certain acts and matters done during the war and to provide in certain cases remedies in substitution thereof was not proceeded with at this meeting.

## ATTENDANCE.

Those present were:—  
His Excellency the Governor, Sir Reginald Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G., H.E., the General Officer Commanding the Troops, Lieut.-General Sir G. M. Kirkpatrick, K.C.B., K.C.S.I.  
The Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Dr. Claud Sverin, C.M.G., L.L.D.  
The Attorney-General, the Hon. Mr. J. H. Kemp, C.B.E., K.C.  
The Colonial Treasurer, the Hon. Mr. C. McI. Messer, O.B.E.  
The Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Hon. Mr. E. R. Halifax, O.B.E.  
The Director of Education, the Hon. Mr. E. A. Living.  
The Director of Public Works, the Hon. Mr. T. L. Perkins.  
The Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C.  
The Hon. Mr. Lau Chai-pak.  
The Hon. Mr. Chou Shou-sun.  
The Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird.  
The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang.  
Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, O.B.E., Clerk of Councils.

## PAPERS TABLED.

The Hon. Colonial Secretary tabled the new European police pension regulations, the revised parcel postage rates, the new Cremation Ordinance regulations, the Prison Ordinance (European warders' medical attention) regulations, the Merchant Shipping Ordinance regulation relating to night lantern lights, the revised quarantine orders, the Piracy Prevention Ordinance amendment, and the Hongkong University statutes alteration, all of which have already been published.

## PRINCE'S RECEPTION HALL.

## HON. MR. A. O. LANG'S QUESTIONS.

The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang gave notice of his intention to ask the following questions:—

- (1) What, if any, use is to be made of the building, now under erection, on 'the finest site' after the visit of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales.
- (2) What, if any, precautions are being taken to cope with an outbreak of fire during the erection of the building.
- (3) Whether the risk of fire and that of damage by typhoon has been covered by insurance.

## LAND RESUMPTION.

## CHECKING MERE SPECULATION.

The Attorney-General moved the first reading of a Bill to amend the

rown Lands Resumption Ordinance (1921) the objects and reasons of which were given as follows:—

The object of this Ordinance is to make it clear that in resumptions under the Crown Lands Resumption Ordinance no compensation is to be awarded in respect of mere expectancies or probabilities. For example the owner of agricultural land held under a Crown lease which prohibits the erection of buildings except with the licence of the Crown is not to receive any compensation with respect to the possibility that such a licence might at some time have been obtained if the land had not been resumed. This principle is not as it is in force under the Lands Clauses Consolidation Acts in England, and it seems only reasonable that the community should not have to pay for a mere possibility of this kind which the claimant could never have enforced.

The reason for the amendment of Ordinance No. 14 of 1921 on this point is that that Ordinance laid down as a general rule that the basis of compensation should be the market value of the land, and it appears to be the case that speculators, in the case of agricultural land for instance, are often prepared to pay more than the value of the land for agricultural purposes in the hope that they may be allowed to convert it into building land. The claimant in such a case would no doubt argue that the speculator's price formed or was evidence of a market price above the real value of the land as agricultural land. This position is all the more likely to arise in a district which is about to be developed by the Government for building purposes, and if the above argument were to prevail the result would be that the community would have to pay a very much increased price for the land, although this increased price was based solely on the mere possibility of conversion which the Government have absolute discretion to refuse. The effect would be to make development more expensive and to raise the rents on the developed property, and it might even have the effect of checking development altogether in a particular district.

The intention of this bill, therefore, is to provide that the rule of taking the market price as the basis of compensation is to be subject to the further rule that no compensation is to be given in respect of such mere probabilities.

For convenience, the whole of section 2 of Ordinance No. 14 of 1921 is to be repealed and re-enacted, but practically the only part of the substituted section which is new is paragraph (c).

## VOLUNTEER ORDINANCE.

## PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR INEFFICIENCY.

The Attorney-General moved the first reading of a Bill to amend further the Volunteer Ordinance, (1920), the objects and reasons of which were given as follows:—

The object of this bill is to secure a greater percentage of efficiency in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

## BIRTH.

NIXON.—At Shanghai, on the 16th January, to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Nixon, a daughter.

## BRIDES' DRESS RULES.

## CLERIC SUGGESTS EVENING FROCKS.

The Rev. W. C. Robertson, of the Episcopal Church, Chattanooga, Tennessee, has issued a code of rules according to which the dress of brides and bridesmaids at church weddings shall consist of what is technically known as evening dress. The V-shape, or square-cut neck will be allowed, but garments must have a complete front and back.

Regarding the length of gowns the cleric rules: "Skirts must not be higher than where the spring of the calf of the leg begins."

The sleeves must not fall short of the elbows. Real covering by a hat or a veil must be provided for the head. If the dress is made of transparent material it must have a lining.

At present there is no penalty provided for inefficiency, and some members of the corps have failed to carry out the minimum of training which they undertook to do on enrolment.

The Colonial Secretary seconded the motion and the Bill was read a first time.

## PEACE TREATY ORDERS.

## ADAPTING PROVISIONS TO LOCAL CIRCUMSTANCES.

The Attorney-General moved the first reading of a Bill to modify certain provisions of the Treaty of Peace Order, 1919, the Treaty of Peace (Austria) Order, 1920, the Treaty of Peace (Bulgaria) Order, 1920, and the Treaty of Peace (Hungary) Order, 1921, as amended, for the purpose of adapting the provisions of the said orders to the circumstances of the Colony of Hongkong.

The Colonial Secretary seconded the motion and the Bill was read a first time.

## MAINTENANCE ORDERS.

## FACILITIES FOR ENFORCEMENT.

The Attorney-General moved the first reading of a Bill to amend the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance (1921), the objects and reasons of which were given as follows:—

The object of this bill is to amend the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Ordinance 1921, so as to provide for its extension to maintenance orders made in another Colony or Protectorate or Dominion, which may hereafter be willing to enter into reciprocal relations with this Colony. In view of the numerous British-administered territories in the Far East, it seems desirable to establish such reciprocity. The bill is introduced on instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies. The Colonial Secretary seconded the motion and the Bill was read a first time.

## GOODBYE TO G. O. C.

Before the Council adjourned His Excellency referred with regret to the approaching departure of Lieut.-General Kirkpatrick, expressing appreciation of his services to the Council and to the Colony and voicing the Council's best wishes for his future success. Lieut.-General Kirkpatrick briefly replied, observing that his association with the Council had been both a pleasant duty and an instructive experience and that he would also watch closely for news of the Congress which he felt sure was in store for the Colony.

The Council then adjourned sine die.

## COUNCIL QUESTIONS.

## HOUSING PROBLEMS STILL.

## DAILY SMALL FOX RETURNS.

The questions submitted by unofficial members at this afternoon's meeting of the Legislative Council are reprinted below with their respective answers.

## THE HON. MR. BIRD'S QUESTIONS.

(1) What action does the Government propose to take in connection with the Report of the Committee appointed for the purpose of considering what measures can be best taken to facilitate the prompt acquisition by applicants of sites which they may require.

(ii) To facilitate the prompt passing of building plans?

1. Action, in accordance with the instructions of the Government given prior to the appointment of Committee but practically in accordance with its views as expressed in the report referred to, is proceeding as follows:—

(a) There are now ten students training for Chinese surveyors and draughtsmen.

(b) A European clerk has been appointed to the Survey Office.

(c) Extra accommodation will be provided not only for the Survey Staff but for others of the Public Works Department Staff in the New Building to be erected near the present building.

(d) The erection of these offices will be commenced within the next few days.

(e) An Acting Clerk of Works has been appointed to the Building Ordinance Office from amongst its existing staff. Also an additional overseer to fill the vacancy thus created. An additional Assistant Engineer for this office is being indentured for.

(f) It is proposed to leave the other appointments suggested in abeyance until Mr. Wright's return early in March so that they may be considered in connection with other changes in the office.

(g) The Government is not satisfied as to the desirability of creating a Committee to take the place of the Governor-in-Council for the purpose of considering exemptions or modifications asked for in plans, but arrangements are being made on the lines suggested in the report for accelerating consideration of such exemptions and modifications.

2. With reference to the statements published in the Press relating to cases of communicable disease, are all cases of small-pox included therein; if not, why not?

2. All cases of small-pox are included in the return which is sent to the Press.

## THE HON. MR. POLLOCK'S QUESTIONS.

(1) In view of the following statement, which occurs at the end of Section 1 of the recently published Census Report:—

"The number of floors in Hongkong and Kowloon occupied by Chinese has increased, in the last 10 years, by 7,117, which at 15 persons per floor, a fairly high average, affords accommodation for 106,755 out of a total increase of 157,398 in the Chinese urban population, thus leaving a large portion of the increases to find accommodation in houses already fully occupied in 1911";

will the Government state how many floors in Chinese tenement houses have been made available for occupation

(i) in Hongkong;

(ii) in Kowloon

since the Census was taken? Will the Government also state to what extent further floors in tenement houses are likely to be available for occupation during the first half of 1922?

1. The floors made available in Chinese tenements between 24th April, 1921, and 10th January, 1922, are:—

(i) Hongkong...140.

(ii) Kowloon...930.

It is anticipated that the following

## A NOVEL PLEA.

## CAPTAIN'S UNREALISED VISIONS.

A captain in the Indian Army, who married an operatic singer and was said by counsel to have had visions of being "kept in the lap of luxury and idleness," was defendant to proceedings brought by his wife at Mold police-court.

The complainant was Mary Francis Louise Nicholas, and she applied for a separation order from Wilfred Albany Nicholas, now a captain in the Indian Army, and whose home address was given as Netherdown-road, St. Margaret's, Twickenham.

Mr. J. Beale Marston, for Mrs. Nicholas, said his client was a vocalist of some repute, and had sung in Beecham opera for some years. The defendant had visions that he was being married to a prima donna and was going to be kept in the lap of luxury and idleness. Since then he had persistently refused to support his wife. On one occasion when the wife went to London to ask what he intended to do he fired a pistol at her.

The complainant said she was a daughter of the late Dr. Powell (the smith, of Buckley). Her husband refused to live with her because she declined to take a tour with Quinlan's Opera Company in Australia and New Zealand. She had had throat trouble, and her voice had completely gone. Since her husband deserted her she had worked on a newspaper, at a Government factory, and in one of the London hospitals. Her husband's salary was £750 a year.

The defendant did not appear, but in a letter addressed to the Court he stated: "Maintenance did not form part of the contract between my wife and myself, as is evident from the fact that when the marriage took place, on January 9, 1912, I was a minor and attested pupil to an architect, and but for the war would not have been in a position to support a wife for at least ten years, as any architect would confirm. Since leaving my wife, about February or March, 1913, the money I have sent her, in excess of the allowance for the child (some £70), has been in the nature of a gift and should not be regarded as a precedent. . . . Not having my wife's facilities for employment of legal assistance, I fear I shall not be able to contest the case, the only legal expense I propose to incur being an application for possession of my son, whom I had entered at the most expensive preparatory school in England and prior to my return from Mesopotamia."

The Bench granted the order applied for, with maximum payment of maintenance to the wife of £2 per week, and 10s. in respect of the child, and an advocate's fee of £3. 3s.

A costermonger, charged at the South-Western police-court with causing obstruction in the street with his barrow, was asked by Mr. Samuel Pope, the magistrate, if he would promise not to do it again. "Yes, I will," said the man readily.

"That's a promise," said the magistrate, "let us seal it." His Worship held out his hand, and the man grasping it, the two shook hands. After this the man was discharged.

additional floors will be available by 30th June, 1922:—

Hongkong...290.

Kowloon...680.

This latter figure can however only be regarded as an approximation.

(2) Will the Government give the Council information as to the progress which is being made with the financial negotiations for the transfer of the military establishments to the mainland?

2. Negotiations are in progress, but it is impossible at present to furnish any useful information.

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## SECOND MARRIAGE UNHAPPY.

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Mrs. Lambert, telling the story of her marriage, said she had a villa at Florence, and while there in May, 1920, she made the acquaintance of Mr. Lambert, whom she married on June 1, 1920.

After travelling for a while, they lived at her house in Thurloe-square, London.

Mr. Cotes Freedy: I think that almost from the beginning you found it very difficult to humour Mr. Lambert and keep him at home?

Mrs. Lambert: Yes.

Eventually did your differences culminate in his losing his temper and saying he would not live with you any longer?—Yes.

You went to live at Chapel-street, while your husband went to Florence and established himself in your villa there?—Yes.

And wrote you once or twice suggesting a formal separation and that you should keep him?—Yes.

On June 5, 1921, Mrs. Lambert said, she received a letter saying:—

"It is little more than a year since we were married, somewhat

precipitately. After three months of married life I saw that in mentality, in intellect, and in tastes, we were as the poles asunder.

"In addition to this, your unfortunate temper made any chance of a harmonious existence extremely remote, and so I left you. Since then I have found sympathy and the companionship that I sought and thought I had found when I met you in Florence last year, and so I shall never return to you.

"My life is nearing its close, and I do not intend that the years that remain to me shall be spent in loneliness, and so good-bye.—Alfred."

Mr. Cotes Freedy: Your husband is sixty?—Mrs. Lambert: Yes, to-day. She replied to the letter:—

Dear Alfred.—I have received your letter. I do not think you should have written as you did, but I can forget and forgive, and if you will come back to me I will do my best to make you happy.

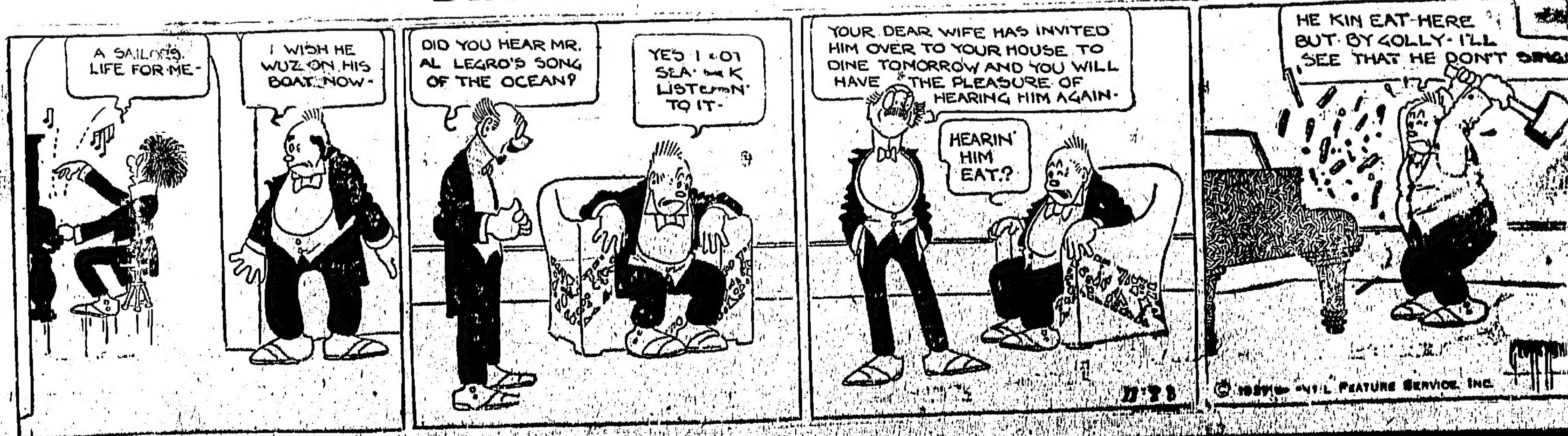
He replied:—

Dear Ann.—I have just received your letter. I have nothing to reproach myself with as regards my behaviour to you during our short married life, and therefore you have nothing to forgive.

The little effort you made to make me happy during the time I was with you has not given me confidence in your undertaking to do your best to make me happy if I were to return to you. So I must decline to take the risk. This is my final resolve.—Yours, Alfred.

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Hainan and Bangkok.....China  
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## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18.

Philippine Islands, AUSTRALIA and New Zealand via Thursday Island, Registration 1.15 p.m. Letters 9 a.m.  
Hainan and Bangkok.....Nikko Maru  
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## THURSDAY, JANUARY 19.

Bangkok.....Hopsang.....9 a.m.  
Siam.....Huichow.....11 a.m.  
Philippine Islands, Siam, AUSTRALIA, and New Zealand via Thursday Island, Registration 1.45 p.m. Letters 2.30 p.m. Tientsin

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 20.

Shanghai, North China and Japan.....Nikko Maru.....10 a.m.  
Siam, Amoy and Fuzhou.....Huichow.....11 a.m.  
Siam, Amoy and Fuzhou.....Huichow.....11 a.m.

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 21.

Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta and ADE.....Huichow.....2 p.m.  
Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta and ADE.....Huichow.....3 p.m.  
Straits, Bangkok, Calcutta and ADE.....Huichow.....3 p.m.

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 22.

Hainan and Bangkok.....Tientsin.....9 a.m.  
Hainan and Bangkok.....Tientsin.....9 a.m.

## MONDAY, JANUARY 23.

Hainan and Bangkok.....Tientsin.....9 a.m.  
Hainan and Bangkok.....Tientsin.....9 a.m.

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